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Re: Operations & Maintenance Summary Monthly Report – September 2006
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Dear Mr. LeMay:

On behalf of UniFirst Corporation, I am submitting the report “Source Area & Operable Unit 1, Operations & Maintenance Summary Monthly Report” for the period September 1 through September 30, 2006.

Should you have any questions, please call.

Sincerely,

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**Source Area & Operable Unit 1
Operations & Maintenance
Summary Monthly Report
UniFirst Corporation**

September 1 – September 30, 2006

Wells G & H Site
Woburn, Massachusetts

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1 Introduction

Harvard Project Services (HPS), as Operation and Maintenance Contractor of the groundwater recovery and treatment system (System) at UniFirst Corporation, 15 Olympia Avenue, Woburn, Massachusetts, has prepared this report. The System, which started pumping on September 30, 1992, is part of the ongoing Remedial Action of the Wells G&H Superfund Site in Woburn, Massachusetts. This report describes the groundwater recovery and treatment activities for the period September 1 through September 30, 2006 and identifies future RD/RA activities at the site.

2 System Operation & Maintenance

2.1 Maintenance

Activities during the reporting period at the Treatment Plant are summarized in the Maintenance Summary Table.

UniFirst Treatment Plant Maintenance Summary

Date	Activity	Company
September 5	Routine Site Visit Monthly Sampling	HPS
September 8	Routine Site Visit	HPS
September 12	Routine Site Visit	HPS
September 19	Routine Site Visit Annual Inspection Annual Maintenance	HPS HPS Buckley Brothers
September 26	Routine Site Visit Install temporary tank 4a	HPS Service Tech, Inc.
September 30	Change Process Order to 2-3a-4a	HPS

2.2 Treatment System Process Flow & Pressures

The total monthly flow through the System for the reporting period was 1.31 million gallons. The average flow during this period was approximately 30.4 gallons per minute. The average hourly flow rate in gallons per minute is depicted in Figure 1.

The average hourly carbon pressure at the influent to the primary tank during the month was 13.1 psi. The trend of the carbon system pressure is illustrated in Figure 1. On September 26, Service Tech, Inc. and HPS removed carbon tanks 3 and 4 and installed a replacement tank 4a. The process flow through the carbon vessels was Tank 1 to Tank 2 to Tank 3a, until September 30, when it was changed to Tank 2 to Tank 3a to Tank 4a.

2.3 Drawdown Elevation in UC22

During the reporting period, the average hourly pumping water level elevation in well UC22 was approximately 24.7 feet. The water level elevations for the month are shown on Figure 1.

3 Treatment System Performance

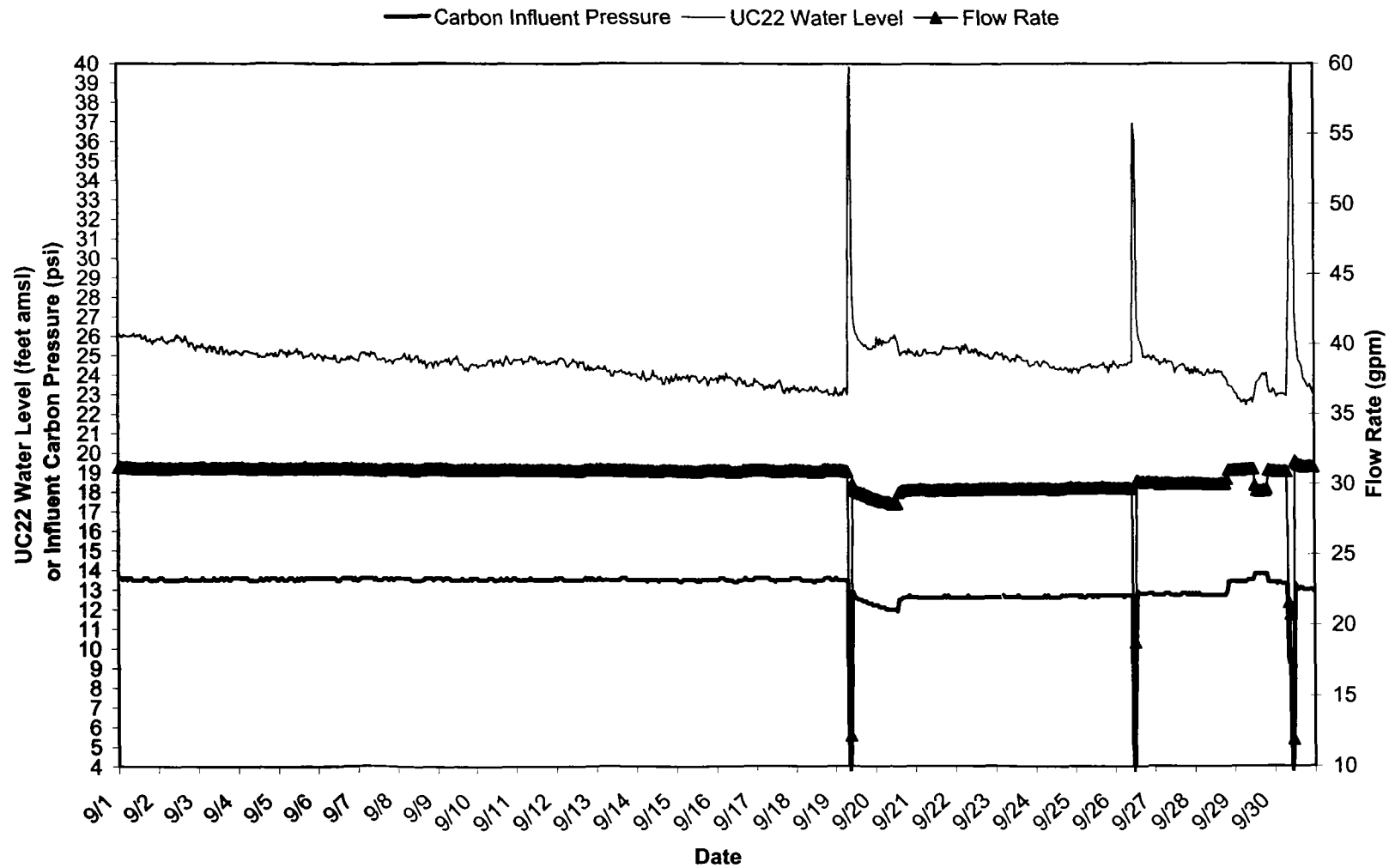
The effectiveness of the treatment system is monitored by monthly sampling and analysis. Analytical samples for routine monitoring were collected on September 5, 2006 from sample points S1, S5C1, S5C2 and S6. Monthly analytical results are summarized in the attached table, "Water Quality Summary."

4 Future Activities

Operation and monitoring of the groundwater extraction and treatment system will continue. Routine monthly samples will be collected on October 3 and November 7, 2006.

HPS and the Johnson Company will begin preparation of the annual treatment system report and UniFirst will prepare the annual report to the Court.

Figure 1: September 2006 Operations Data



Water Quality Summary

Groundwater Treatment System

UniFirst Corporation

Wells G & H Site, Woburn, Massachusetts

Sample Date: 9/5/2006

Method: 8260

Sample Location: **S1, Influent**

CAS No.	Compound	Result	Qualifier	Units	Detection Limit
56-23-5	Carbon Tetrachloride	<1.0		µg/L	1.0
75-34-4	1,1-Dichloroethene	<1.0		µg/L	1.0
127-18-4	Tetrachloroethene	240		µg/L	5.0
79-01-6	Trichloroethene	16		µg/L	1.0
0540-59-0	1,2-Dichloroethene (total)	2 J		µg/L	2.0
71-55-6	1,1,1-Trichloroethane	2		µg/L	1.0

Sample Date: 9/5/2006

Method: 8260

Sample Location: **S5C1, 1st carbon effluent**

CAS No.	Compound	Result	Qualifier	Units	Detection Limit
56-23-5	Carbon Tetrachloride	<1.0		µg/L	1.0
75-34-4	1,1-Dichloroethene	<1.0		µg/L	1.0
127-18-4	Tetrachloroethene	100		µg/L	1.0
79-01-6	Trichloroethene	13		µg/L	1.0
0540-59-0	1,2-Dichloroethene (total)	2		µg/L	2.0
71-55-6	1,1,1-Trichloroethane	2		µg/L	1.0

Sample Date: 9/5/2006

Method: 8260

Sample Location: **S5C2, 2nd carbon effluent**

CAS No.	Compound	Result	Qualifier	Units	Detection Limit
56-23-5	Carbon Tetrachloride	<1.0		µg/L	1.0
75-34-4	1,1-Dichloroethene	<1.0		µg/L	1.0
127-18-4	Tetrachloroethene	<1.0		µg/L	1.0
79-01-6	Trichloroethene	0.6 J		µg/L	1.0
0540-59-0	1,2-Dichloroethene (total)	3		µg/L	2.0
71-55-6	1,1,1-Trichloroethane	3		µg/L	1.0

Sample Date: 9/5/2006

Method: 524.2

Sample Location: **S6, final effluent**

CAS No.	Compound	Discharge Limit	Result	Qualifier	Units	Detection Limit
71-43-2	Benzene	5.0	<0.5		µg/L	0.5
56-23-5	Carbon Tetrachloride	5.0	<0.5		µg/L	0.5
75-34-4	1,1-Dichloroethene	7.0	<0.5		µg/L	0.5
127-18-4	Tetrachloroethene	5.0	<0.5		µg/L	0.5
79-01-6	Trichloroethene	5.0	<0.5		µg/L	0.5
0540-59-0	1,2-Dichloroethene (total)	70.0	2.4		µg/L	1.0
71-55-6	1,1,1-Trichloroethane	Monitor Only	3.0		µg/L	0.5
7439-92-1	Lead, total (Method 200.7)	10.2	<1.8		µg/L	1.8